Meeting of the Streets, Alleys and Traffic Committee of the City of LaSalle June 1, 2021

Immediately Following the Finance Committee Meeting - City Hall Council Chambers Chairman Bacidore called the Meeting to order at 6:27pm

ROLL CALL

Present: Chairman Bacidore, Aldermen Ptak, Reynolds, Jeppson, Crane, Herndon, Lavieri (arrived at 6:28pm)

Others Present: Deputy Clerk Brent Bader, Finance Director John Duncan, Aldermen Demes,

Economic Developer Leah Inman

A quorum was present.

Moved by Aldermen Reynolds and seconded by Aldermen Crane to approve and place on file the minutes of the Streets, Alleys and Traffic Committee for May 17, 2021. Each and every alderman has a copy.

Chairman Bacidore discussed the recommendation regarding a request for a no outlet or deadend sign at the north end of Bartley Street. Aldermen Crane suggested doing all three streets in that same neighborhood or none at all, not just Bartley Street. Aldermen Demes asked to contact the residents using our GovPilot program to see the residents' opinions on adding a sign to their streets. Leah Inman will reach out to the residents of Aplington, Bartley, and Hayley Street through our new city program to hear the residents' feedback. The committee agreed to table this recommendation until feedback is received from the city residents.

Chairman Bacidore discussed the recommendation regarding changes to the City's Ordinance as it pertains to electric bicycles, associated fines. City Attorney McPhedran was asked to speak in regards to the charges that were changed or added to the city ordinance. The current ordinance will remain as in without adding the golf carts and UTVs. What will be added is that they will need to stay off the sidewalks, have to follow the rules of the road, and the fines would range from \$75-750. This is what has essentially been prepared in regards to the current ordinance. Chief Smudzinski explained how he will encourage his officers to enforce this ordinance. Chief Smudzinski and Attorney McPhedran did confer on the additions of this ordinance. Chief Smudzinski reminded the council that we cannot take these (bicycles) off the road. This language makes them have to follow more rules.

Chairman asked for a vote for the Recommendation from Streets and Alleys to approve the ordinance.

Voice vote, all ayes. Motion is carried.

There were no more questions or comments from the public. Chairman Bacidore adjourned the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Amy Quinn, City Clerk